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Local Option Bill Makers Want Action.

License Bill Supporters Talk of Compromise Amendment.

The Rev. G. L. Pearson and the Rev. E. S. Muckley Give Their Views on Liquor Measures.

The merits and demerits of the two liquor bills now before the Legislature -the local option measure prepared by the advocates of temperance, and the new license measure-were discussed at length yesterday afternoon at the Y. M. C. A., the Rev. George L. Pearson and the Rev. E. S. Muckley explaining the measures to the audience. An open discussion followed, and the hope was expressed that a mass meeting might be held at an early date at which an expression of public sentiment on the bills could be had for the guidance of both branches of the Legislature. It was also stated at the meeting that the Senate committee having these matters in charge will give ear to public expressions.

The Rev. Mr. Pearson said that the intent of the license bill was to bring the business of liquor selling more and more into the hands of Americans, there being certain restrictions as to foreigners holding licenses. There was a restriction against selling liquor to minors, but none prohibiting minors from dispensing liquors. He considered that one of the most dangerous features of the measure was the right to be given to certain places, designated as places of amusement, bathing resorts and the like, of selling liquor on Sunday. This, to him, was only a wedge to wide-open Sunday saloons. There was also a clause which he did not like. This is to give temporary licenses, for a day or for several days, which permits of liquors being sold at the race track and other places of the kind. He said, however, that there was a disposition on the part of the lawmakers to limit this temporary license for use only at the race track, and not give it to a baseball enclosure, pienic or other amusement place.

As to the location of the salcons, he said it was a matter of fact that the location of saloons in certain quarters hurts adjoining property values as well as trade. He was of the opinion that there should be the right given property owners to say where a saloon should not be placed.

LOCAL OPTION IDEA.

Rev. Mr. Muckley explained the local option idea. It involved prohibition in a small district of a state or Territory. The present bill ought to be carried by the Legislature, as it gave equal privileges to the opposers of liquor traffic and those who believe in it. The bill provides that if 30 per cent of the voters of a district shall petition the Governor for an election to determine whether the citizens of that district desire saloons or not, the Governor shall call such an election. If the voters of the district decide by their votes that they do not want saloons, the saloon men already operating within the district are to have thirty days in which to close out their business. There are severe penalties, both by fines and imprisonment, for violations of the law where the voters have signfied their desire to have saloonless districts. Mr. Muckley said that the bill now before the Legislature was pat-

SEALED TENDERS.

FOR FURNISHING MATERIAL, LA-SOR AND ERECTING A WOOD-EN BRIDGE OVER WAINIHA STREAM, KAUAL

Sealed Tenders will be received by the Superintendent of public Works until 12 m. of April 13th, 1903, for furnishing all materials, labor and erecting a wooden Highway Bridge over Wainiha Stream, Kauai.

Plans and specifications on file in the office of the Superintendent of Public

The Superintendent reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

March 18th, 1903.

terned after that in force in Ohio, where it is operating successfully wherever

"I feel very strongly," said Mr. Muckley, that if any man does not look upon this local option bill as a fair bill, he is decidedly warped in his judgment. It is hard for a liquor man not to be warped, for there is a lot of money to be made in the liquor business. For making money fast, it is one of the best methods I know of. But the citizens of a community who are the deadly enemies of liquor traffic, grant the privilege in this measure, of putting the matter of saloons or no saloons to a popular vote. that is a perfectly fair method of deciding the ques-

"I don't want a saloon put next to my house. Neither do I want one in the vicinity in which I live, and neither do you. Suppose the saloon men outnumber us, then we have nothing to say, but being a citizen I grant the privilege of putting the whole matter to the votes of the people. They ought not to ask any further concessions. I feel that when we present this matter to the Legislature we have no apology to make. The bill ought to receive favorable consideration, and we have strong hopes that it will go through." PROVISION FOR HOTELS.

Mr. Muckley then spoke of an amendment which was proposed to the license bill, which he believed was a compromise with the local option bill supporters. This amendment is to the effect that in districts which vote for no saloons, a regularly licensed hotel having a capacity of thirty bona fide guests can furnish liquor to their guests, but shall not have the privilege of an open bar.

It was further stated by Mr. Muckley that in Texas the local option idea had been adopted by county after county, until now prohibition for the entire there about four months ago. state was being considered and there seemed to be hopes of its complete suc-

It was stated at the meeting that the ileges, and that in connection with a proposed billiard room in another part of the building a full-fledged saloon would be inaugurated with the opening of the hotel.

Semi-Annual Meeting of the Benevolent Society.

The semi-annual meeting of the Japanese Benevolent Society was held Saturday evening in the Japanese school building on Nuuanu street. Reports from all the officers were presented, and Dr. Mori, president, addressed the society as follows:

"I herewith submit our report of work done by the Japanese Benevolent Society in Honolulu during the semiannual period ending February 28, 1903. We are glad to state that we have been able to care for many helpless patients in our hospital, and also to help pay the passages back to Japan for some poor ones.

"Modern charity is not satisfied with giving present relief alone. Its aspiration is also to rescue men and women from poverty and ignorance and crime. To transform the dependent family to a self-supporting family is a direct benefit to the whole community. Crime prevented is a vast gain over crime punished. For this purpose, our Japanese religious workers in the city have helped us by preaching every which is highly appreciated by us and the patients.

'We present our sincere thanks for the moral and financial support we have received from this generous community. Money given in charity is almost always given with a sincere desire to help those who are unfortunate. It is our happy duty as charity workers to ascertain the best methods by which the money may be made to accomplish the object intended, and to properly apply the method, and we trust that your confidence in us has not been misplaced. Vice President Okabe and Dr. Katsu-

numa offered a resolution of thanks for Mr. and Mrs. Imanishi, who will leave here shortly, in appreciation of the generous and faithful work done for the society for a long period. The overhauled. resolution was unanimously adopted. This was followed by a discussion for securing land for a permanent hospital

The manager's report showed that thirty-one free patients were received at the Charity Hospital and eighteen as out-patients during the past six months; two were given the passage to Japan, and the funeral expenses were paid for six. Two hundred and thirty-five pay patients were also received at a moderate rate in the hos-

Treasurer Shioda's report showed cash balance of \$909.78 on hand. The total amount of the receipts aggregated \$2,738.28, while the disbursements were \$1,828.50, of which \$1,583.75 were paid for hospital expenses,

were presented: Messrs. Hackfeld & and in that way may not be heard of Co., agents for the Pacific Mail, Occidental and Oriental, and Toyo Kisen Kaisha Steamship Companies, shige, \$16: Mr. J. Kawauchi, \$6; Mr. the South Seas. Nowadays there is above Lodge will be held in San An- be held at the company's office in \$1,421; Dr. I. Mori, \$100; Mr. W. Moto-

Ruler Sails for the Lovely Guano Island.

Mainly His Subjects Are the Wild Sea Birds.

But They Are Tame and Bidable Because Men Are

Few.

new king is to rule on lonely Laysan Island. The schooner J. H. Lunsmann, which sailed for Laysan yesterday morning, carried a Mr. Dibble, who is to succeed King Max Schlemmer as ruler of the guano beds. King Dibble took forty Japanese retainers to the island with him. Incidentally, the arrival of the schooner at Laysan will relieve the long winter monotony there giving the islanders fresh food and many little delicacies that they have been without since the bark Albert left

The winter is a long and tiresome one at Laysan. For four months the one white man, his wife, and the lat-Young Hotel was to have saloon priv-, ter's sister, who live at the island with a small colony of Japanese laborers, see or hear nothing of the outside world. Way out on a burning hot island of the Pacific, swept at times by chilling trade winds, given a wide berth by all ships of the sea, these people spend their winter. Their time is occupied by scraping guano into heaps and having it ready to load on a vessel whenever one arrives from

a sister ship of the Otelle Pederson place here. which was abandoned by her crew because of losing her rudder near Japan. Captain Pederson, the runaway ship owner of San Francisco, was a part owner of the Lunsman, but other parties now hold his interest.

In addition to the Jap laborers, the Lunsmann carries two mules which are to be used on Laysan to haul cars about on a tramway which will carry the guano from the pits in the center of the island to scows.

At this season of the year the schooner should find good weather at Laysan, but in case she strikes the opposite kind of luck her timbers may be warped a bit by the time she again reaches Honolulu, as wooden vessels seem to have poor luck at Laysan.

Captain Johnson expects to be able to make the round trip in about thirty days, as his vessel is a smart sailer.

In addition to the schooner Lunsmann, it is said that there is shortly to be a steamer in the Laysan Island trade, namely the Hanalei, of the Inter-Island Company's fleet, and the largeest one of all. The Hanalei has been lying week at the Japanese Charity Hospital, up in the row, ever since the days of the last sugar season, until very recently. A short time ago she was pulled out in the Marine Railway for an overhauling, and there was lots of gossip at the time as to what trade she was going into. Now the waterfront gossips, with more foundation perhaps than is common in gossip, have it that she will be sent to Laysan Island under charter to bring up a cargo of guano, the demand for fertilizer on the plantations being large and on the increase, and it is told, farther, that the crew of the freight steamer Waialeale will make the trip in her, the freighter in the meantime being

WHAT BECAME OF CREW OF FLORENCE

Shipping men are watching the Australian steamers for news of the crew of the lost ship Florence as it is barely possible that the men of that ill-fated vessel may have left the Florence in boats and with the trade winds have been swept to some South Sea island. The crew of the Florence, about twenty men, may at this time be on some island that is visited The following list of subscriptions not more than once a year by traders

Sydney is the headquarters for many vessels trading to every part of reject any and all bids.

HENRY E. COOPER,
Superintendent of Public Works.

arch 18th, 1903.

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once every three months. In case the shipwrecked crew landed on an unhabited island there is but little hope of hearing from them and many believe, so long a time having elapsed since the Florence was last heard of, that the crew either went down with the vessel or as castaways starved before being able to reach any island.

Vessels Due.

Strong trade winds should bring in a number of sailing vessels which are now due at this port and two coal laden vessels which are making very deceased, wherein he asks to be all long voyages from Newcastle. The ed \$1186.85 and charges himself American bark Carrollton is now out \$3993.53, and asks that the same about eighty days from Newcastle, a be examined and approved, and long trip. The bark Haydn Brown is tion of the property remaining in out seventy-four days on the same hands to the persons thereto entijourney. Captain Calhoun of the bark- and discharging him and his sur entine Archer is having poor luck. He from all further responsibility as left San Francisco the day before the barkenting S. G. Wilder but has not day of May, A. D. 1903, at ten o'c arrived yet although the latter has ar- a. m., before the Judge of said C rived, discharged her cargo, loaded at the Court Room of the said C over 4000 bags of sugar, was fumigat- at Honolulu, Island of Oahu, be ed yesterday, and will be hauled over time and place for hearing said to the Railway wharf early this morn- tion and Accounts, and that all per ing to finish loading in time to go to interested may then and there ap sea on Wednesday. The American and show cause, if any they have, schooner Watson A. West is out fifty- may present evidence as to who eight days from Newcastle for this

NEARLY LOST LIFE IN THE ALPS

Captain Jones, of the British schooner Geneva now in Honolulu, was a member of a party that was nearly wiped out of existence in the Alpine regions a couple of years ago. Jones lost a brother, who was a professor in Oxford, in that affair and a couple of others also lost their lives. Captain Jones only saved his own life through the fact that the ropes holding the party broke and the ice picks were thus able to hold his portion of the party from sliding over a precipice.

SAILORMAN MIXED **UP IN ROMANCE**

When the schooner J. H. Lunsmann returns to Honolulu there will be the culmination of a neat little romance. Captain Johnson of that vessel met a young woman while in Hongkong whose father is a Singapore shipown-The Lunsmann will take about 1,800 er. It was a case of love as soon as the time and place for proving tons of guano from the island on this each sighted the other and the skip- Will and hearing said application trip and is chartered to make another, per received a letter a few days ago but if the supply of guano continues saying that the bride would come to good the smart-locking schooner may Honolulu from Singapore in May and make several trips. The Lunsmann is that the marriage could then take

Shipping Notes.

The steamer W. G. Hall brought 6,-000 bags of sugar from Kauai ports Sunday morning. The steamer Nebraskan, of the Ha-

wailan - American steamship line, reached San Francisco Saturday. The British ship Eva Montgomery,

recently in Honolulu, is to take a cargo of lumber from the Sound to Cal- of the stockholders of said Com

The dredgers are having good weather at Pearl Harbor now and ritory of Hawaii, on Wednesday, M work on dredging the bar is said to 25th, 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m. be proceeding very rapidly.

The Claudine's cargo from Maui ports Sunday morning consisted of the Hawalian Tramways Com 1319 bags of sugar, 166 bags of paiai, Limited. eighty-one bags of taro, thirty-three bags of bottles, fifty-nine hogs, and seventy-one packages of sundries,

The purser of the Inter-Island steamer W. G. Hall reports sugar on the island of Kauai as follows: M. A. K. 1200 bags, G. & R. 2660, Mc-Bryde 24,020, K. P. 900, H. M. 31200, G. F. 4125, McK. S. Co. 58,400, K. S. Co. 4100.

Five sealing schooners have so far this year caught 8,700 seals off Cape Horn. This is greater than the entire catch of seals in Arctic waters last season. The British sealer Geneva, now in this port, will hardly be repaired in time to make a seal- over the offices of Messrs. Cas ing trip this year.

The Italian fishermen who recently came down from San Francisco to enter the field here against the Japs are making a thorough prospect of the fishing banks around the island. They are scientists, in their way, and will also take a look at the banks recently reported by the United States Fish Commission.

WILLIAM M'KINLEY LODGE NO. 8, K. OF P.



THERE WILL BE A REgular convention of the above named Lodge Saturday evening, March 21, in Harmony Hall, at 7:30.

TRANSACTION OF BUSINESS. Members of Oahu No. 1 and Mystic No. 2 and all sojourning brothers are invited to attend.

A. S. PRESCOTT. K. of R. & B.

CAPT. COOK LODGE.

SONS OF ST. GEORGE, NO. 353.

THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE

COURT NOTICES

THRUM ESTATEL

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF FIRST CIRCUIT, TERRITO OF HAWAII-AT CHAMBERS PROBATE.

the Matter of the Estate of Ge E. A. Thrum, late of Honol Oahu, Deceased-Order of Notic Hearing Petition for Allowane Final Accounts, Distribution Discharge.

On reading and filing the Petition Accounts of Thomas G. Thrum, Ex tor of the Will of George E. A. Thi a final order may be made of distr Executor;

. It is ordered, that Monday, the entitled to the said property. And notice of this Order in the English guage, be published in the Pacific (mercial Advertiser newspaper pri and published in Honolulu, for I successive weeks, the last publicato be not less than two weeks pres to the time therein appointed for

Dated at Honolulu, this 21st da March, 1963. W. J. ROBINSON

Third Judge First Circuit C R. D. Mead, Attorney for Petitis, A6434-Mar. 23, 30, April 6, 13 HONS ESTATE.

THE CIRCUIT COURT OF SECOND CIRCUIT, TERRIT OF HAWAIL-IN PROBATE. CHAMBERS.

the Matter of the Estate of Ge Hons, late of Wailuku, Maul, ceased.-Order of Hearing and lication of Notice for Probat A Document purporting to be

Last Will and Testament of G Hone, deceased, having on the 14th of March, A. D. 1903, been present said Probate Court, and a Petitio the Probate thereof, and for the ance of Letters Testamentary to dinand Hons having been filed by dinana Hons, brother of the decel It is hereby ordered, that Mo the 20th day of April, A. D. 1903, o'clock a, m., of said day, at the Room of said Court, at Walluku be and the same hereby is app Dated Walluku Mani, March

L. R. CROOS

A6428-Mar. 16, 23, 30, April 1

MEETING NOTICE.

HONOLULU RAPID TRANSIT LAND COMPANY-NOTICE SPECIAL MEETING OF ST HOLDERS.

BY ORDER OF LORRIN A. THE on. President of the Honolulu 1 Transit and Land Company, not hereby given to the stockholders o said Company, that a special me will be held at the Assembly R over the offices of Castle & Cooke, ited, on King street, in Honolulu,

The object of the said meeting 1. To consider a proposition to chase the franchise and propert

2. To consider an increase of the sue of the stock of the Company issue of bonds of the Company, otherwise to provide funds with to complete said purchase, if de

3. To consider any other bu connected with or incidental to the above set forth, or which my jec above set forth, or which presented to the stockholders. J. A. GILMAN

Secretary, Honolulu Rapid Transit Land Company. Honolulu, March 14, 1903. A6428

McBRYDE SUGAR CO, L THE REGULAR ANNUAL MI ing of the Stockholders of this pany will be held in the Assembly Cooke, Ltd., in Honolulu, on Thur 26th March, 1903, at 10 o'clock a. The Stock Transfer Books w

closed between the 12th and 26th M F. M. SWANZI Treasurer McBryde Sugar Co., Honolulu, March 10th, 1903.

KOHALA SUGAR COMPAN BY ORDER OF THE BOARD Directors, a special meeting of the hala Sugar Company will be held a office of Castle & Cooke, Ltd., in nolulu, Oahu, on Monday, March 1903, at 3 p. m., for the purpose of sidering certain questions relativ the bonded indebtedness of the

HENRY WATERHOUSE Carretary, Kohala Sugar A6432

WAIMEA LAND CO.

A MEETING OF THE WALL Land Co. will be held at the Wa Court House on Saturday, April A. D. 1903, at 10 a. m.. All the si holders of said company are hereby quested to be present, in person (proxy, for important business. By order of two-thirds sharehol of sald company.

PETER UM

Secretary Pro T UNION MILL CO. THE ANNUAL MEETING OF

shareholders of the Union Mill Co.

H. H. RENTON